

a.) Amendment to the Specification:

Please amend the paragraph at page 22, lines 7-25 to read as follows.

(xi) Examples of the heteroalicyclic group formed together with the adjacent nitrogen atom include, for example, 5- or 6-membered monocyclic heteroalicyclic group containing at least one nitrogen atom (the monocyclic heteroalicyclic group may further contain any other of a nitrogen atom, an oxygen atom, and a sulfur atom), a bicyclic or tricyclic fused heteroalicyclic group containing at least one nitrogen atom, in which 3- to 8-membered rings are fused (the fused heteroalicyclic group may further contain any other of a nitrogen atom, an oxygen atom, and a sulfur atom) and the like. More specific examples include, for example, pyrrolidinyl, 2,5-dioxopyrrolidinyl, thiazolidinyl, oxazolidinyl, piperidino, piperazinyl, homopiperazinyl, homopiperidino, morpholino, thiomorpholino, pyranyl, tetrahydropyridyl, ~~tetrahydropyranyl, tetrahydrofuranyl,~~ tetrahydroquinolyl, tetrahydroisoquinolyl, octahydroquinolyl, indolinyl, isoindolinyl, perhydroazepinyl, perhydroazocinyl, and the like.